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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF IDAHO

HOLM CONSTRUCTION, LLC, an Idaho Limited Liability Company, in the name of THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

DESERT SAGE CONTRACTORS, INC., an Idaho Corporation, and DEVELOPERS SURETY AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, Surety,

Defendants.

Case No. CV-03-273-E-LMB

CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. 6369 (c) and Fed.R.Civ.P.

73, the undersigned party in the above-entitled matter hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in this case,

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including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment and conduct all post-judgment proceedings. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken directly to the Unites States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

DATED this 215th day of October, 2004

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE BY MAIL, HAND DELIVERY OR FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was on this date served upon the persons named below, at the addresses set out below their name, either by mailing, hand delivery, or by telecopying to them a true and correct copy of said document in a properly addressed envelope in the United States mail, postage prepaid; by hand delivery to them; or by facsimile transmission.

DATED this 21st day of October, 2004.

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